

Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates:
Each division and State, 12 months ending with February
[Data are estimates by State of residence; see Technical notes. Infant mortality
rates are deaths under 1 year per 1,000 live births in specified area]

1998 and 1999

Area	12 months ending with February			
	1999		1998	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
New England	944	5.2	897	5.2
Maine	73	5.3	53	3.9
New Hampshire	61	4.4	69	4.9
Vermont	38	5.9	40	6.1
Massachusetts	404	4.4	374	4.6
Rhode Island	86	6.9	81	6.5
Connecticut	282	6.6	280	6.4
Middle Atlantic	2,981	5.8	3,429	6.4
New York	1,410	5.5	1,620	5.8
New Jersey	668	5.8	701	6.2
Pennsylvania	903	6.3	1,108	7.9
East North Central	4,579	7.5	4,632	7.6
Ohio	1,112	7.4	1,119	7.3
Indiana	387	4.9	521	7.3
Illinois	1,520	8.3	1,428	7.9
Michigan	1,084	8.2	1,128	8.4
Wisconsin	476	7.1	436	6.6
West North Central	1,755	6.8	1,672	6.6
Minnesota	332	5.1	362	5.6
Iowa	260	7.2	177	4.9
Missouri	593	7.8	542	7.3
North Dakota	59	7.4	49	5.9
South Dakota	91	8.7	78	7.8
Nebraska	169	7.3	169	7.1
Kansas	251	6.5	295	7.7
South Atlantic	5,625	8.1	5,417	8.1
Delaware	103	9.9	85	8.4
Maryland	537	7.4	588	8.9
District of Columbia	83	10.0	95	11.3
Virginia	708	7.4	680	7.3
West Virginia	151	7.3	183	8.2
North Carolina	1,034	9.2	1,043	9.9
South Carolina	489	9.2	451	8.8
Georgia	1,087	8.8	878	7.5
Florida	1,433	7.3	1,414	7.4
East South Central	2,111	8.9	2,150	9.2
Kentucky	420	7.7	398	7.5
Tennessee	667	8.7	708	9.3
Alabama	605	9.7	574	9.4
Mississippi	419	9.7	470	10.8
West South Central	3,579	7.0	3,381	6.8
Arkansas	300	8.2	287	7.7
Louisiana	656	9.7	590	9.0
Oklahoma	339	6.8	350	7.2
Texas 1/	2,284	6.4	2,154	6.3
Mountain	1,875	6.7	1,746	6.6
Montana	74	7.0	68	6.6
Idaho	123	6.2	113	6.1
Wyoming	30	4.7	33	5.3
Colorado	418	7.0	374	7.2
New Mexico	167	6.0	176	6.6
Arizona	589	7.4	573	6.9
Utah	269	5.4	244	5.8
Nevada	205	7.4	165	6.0
Pacific	2/	848	2/	5.6
Washington	409	5.2	420	5.3
Oregon	262	5.9	255	5.9
California 1/	---	---	3,267	6.1
Alaska	63	5.7	55	5.7
Hawaii	114	6.6	109	6.3
Puerto Rico	496	8.6	617	10.0

---Data not available.

1/Figures include adjustments for varying lengths of reporting periods.

2/Excludes figures for State(s) shown below as not available.

NOTES: Figures include all revisions received from the States. Figures for the current year reflect revisions received for previous months, and figures for earlier years may differ from those previously published.

SOURCE: Provisional data from the national Vital Statistics System. Data are subject to monthly reporting variation. For discussion of the nature, sources, and limitations of the data, see Technical notes of the associated monthly report at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/nvsr/48/48-pre.htm>